

## Message Text

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FM AMCONSUL HONG KONG

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8159

C O N F I D E N T I A L HONG KONG 9171

FOR A/SY/T

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ASEC, PK

SUBJECT: BALLASTS FOR FLUORESCENT FIXTURES

REF: HONG KONG 9116

THE ACR SENT TO PEKING WAS OF A SERIES THAT WAS SUPPLIED  
WITH THE 60 HZ FLUORESCENT FIXTURES; BECAUSE OF THE 60 HZ  
BALLASTS, THESE LIGHTS PROVIDE A NOTICABLE FLICKER. PLEASE  
PROVIDE SIX (6) DOUBLE TUBE BALLASTS, 50 HZ, UNDER THE TIME  
FRAME OF REFERENCE. WE CAN ACQUIRE 50 HZ BALLASTS HERE  
BUT SINCE RAPID START BALLASTS ARE REQUIRED;  
THEY CAN ONLY BE ACQUIRED BY A SPECIAL ORDER TO GREAT BRITAIN.  
OSBORN

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